BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

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William A. Judge, Chairman Robert A. Bourque David F. Arsenault

MINUTES OF MEETING

The regular meeting of the Board of License Commissioners was held on February 20, 2008 in the Veterans Memorial Room, City Hall, Fitchburg, and called to order by Commissioner Judge at 6:00 PM. Commissioners Robert Bourque and David Arsenault were present.

I. REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING.
Minutes of the meetings held on January 23 and February 6, 2008 were reviewed, approved and signed.

II. SUMMONS HEARING

Thomas Tramontozzi, The Other Side, 535 Water St. for Conduct of Business, Reference FPD Report #08-806-AR & 08-806-A-AR.

Mr. Thomas Tramontozzi, Mr. Frank Tramontozzi and Mr. Robert Kopelman were present.

Mr. Thomas Tramontozzi was the major spokesperson for the hearing. He stated that he did not have a copy of the referenced police report but he was present at the establishment that evening so was aware of the events. He stated that the establishment was closed at the time of the incident, he did not have a doorman at the time because they were closed, the door was not yet locked because the door man was helping to close up, the individuals did not pay a cover charge and did not have anything to drink at his establishment. He stated that the bartender told the individual in question that they were closed but the individual would not take "No" for an answer. He stated a patron of the club tried to come to the aid of the bartender, the individual pulled a knife and the patron tried to get the knife away and got hurt in the process.

No violation found/No action taken 3/0.

III. OTHER

· Continued discussion regarding letter sent on October 22, 2007 to the ABCC Legal Counsel requesting opinion on license transfer procedure.

No further discussion. Clerk to review sample paperwork collected by Board members and will draft revised forms as time permits.

Taxi driver applications **Reviewed.**

The meeting adjourned at 6:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Anna M. Farrell, Clerk Approved:

| William A. Judge | David F. Arsenault | Robert Bourque |
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